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THE WEATHER
Probably showers today and tomorrow; not much change in temperature; light variable winds.
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TEUTONS LOSE MORE VILLAGES

Russians Have Taken Nearly 100 Square Miles in Galicia

ADVANCED 15 MILES

Czar's Troops Take Neznion, Fifteen Miles Northwest of City of Stanislau

Petrograd, Aug. 9—The Russians in their advance against the Austro-Germans in East Galicia have taken territory aggregating nearly 100 square miles, according to the Russian official communication issued last night. In pursuit of the Teutons the Russians have taken additional villages in the Dniester region.

South of the Dniester river, in the direction of Tyszienca, the Russians have driven the Austro-German forces back along the whole line for a breadth of 15 miles, it was officially announced in an earlier communication yesterday.

The announcement added that the Russians had captured the town of Tlumach as well as the region of the east of the Dniester river and the ridge of heights there.

Russian cavalry, it was stated, was pursuing the Austro-Germans southwest of the Kolomea and Stanislau railway, in Galicia.

The total number of prisoners taken by the Russians in the battles on the Sereth river August 5 and 6, the official statement stated, was 166 officers and 8,415 men. The Russians in this region are advancing.

Berlin, Aug. 9—Strong Russian forces Monday advanced against the Austro-German positions on the Tlumach-Ottynia line, to the south of the Dniester river, in Galicia, it is announced by the German army headquarters staff yesterday, and the forces of the Central Powers withdrew to previously prepared positions.

London, Aug. 9—A proclamation foreshadowing the surrender of Lemberg, capital of Galicia, was issued by the Governor of the city on August 4, says a dispatch from Bucharest. On the same date, the dispatch adds, the evacuation of the city by the civilian population was ordered.

The proclamation declared the Austrians would return shortly to wrest Lemberg from the Russians.

London, Aug. 9.—A mighty triple-offensive, with several million men and thousands of guns engaged, is slowly squeezing in the armies of the central empires on every front.

Fighting stubbornly and in many instances with rare bravery, the Austro-German-Turkish forces are giving ground in every theater of war save the Balkans, where recent skirmishes may herald the beginning of another great allied push.

In the east the Czar's troops, extending the advantage reported in an early bulletin yesterday, have thrown back the Austro-Germans on a front of thirty miles, extending from Nadworna to Nieniof.

Nadworna, a railway city of 10,000, has been captured.

The Russian center is now within a few hours march of the important city of Stanislau, whose capture will materially increase the danger in which Gen. von Bothmer's army now finds itself.

The most striking victory won by the Italians since the war began has partly opened the way to Trieste, the great objective on the Italian Isonzo campaign. The Austrians may offer desperate resistance at Goritz, but the apparent ease with which the Italians took the fortified Goritz bridgehead convinces military men that the Austrians have been forced to strip their lines to the danger point to meet the Russian menace in Galicia.

On the western front the allies have won another slice of the German second-line, advancing on a front of nearly four miles north of the Somme.

German counter-attacks caused the French to yield ground only slightly in this region last night.

Only on the Verdun front, where the Germans again re-occupied Thiaumont wok in heavy fighting last night, are the Teutonic armies still on the offensive. The position has changed hands eight times since the Verdun campaign began.

Even in the far away Caucasus, allied troops are again marching victoriously. Both the Russian and Turkish war offices report the beginning of a new Russian offensive, in which the Turks admit they have been forced to yield some ground.

BRITISH STILL EXTENDING LINE

Notable Gains Made By French Troops in Somme Battles

CARRYING TRENCHES

Berlin Claims Engagements on Western Front Have Resulted Favorably to the Germans

London, Aug. 9—The British pushed forward their lines at places east of Trones Wood on the Somme front Monday night, the War Office announces.

Notable gains have been made by the French in the Somme battle, according to the official statement. In two days they have carried German trenches along a front of more than three and a half miles to a depth of from 300 to 500 metres.

In the Verdun sector they have succeeded in regaining a foothold in the Thiaumont work.

French troops made an advance Monday night east of Hill 139, on the Somme front. Two attempts of the Germans to recapture trenches east of Monacu farm were defeated.

The French attack north of the Somme was made by infantry operating on the right of the British, in the course of an attack made by the British on Guillemont. The French took 40 prisoners.

The Germans early yesterday morning launched a series of powerful attacks on French positions from the village of Fleury to a point north of Thiaumont work. They obtained a footing in Thiaumont work, where fighting is still in progress. The attacks on Fleury were checked.

The British and French are continuing to make severe attacks along the Somme front, the German War Office announcement, made at Berlin yesterday says. These engagements have resulted generally in favor of the Germans, it is added, Near Pogieres and east of Hem the fighting continues.

MAY CALL OFF PRIMARY

Several Candidates in Seventh Virginia District Prefer Convention.

Harrisonburg, Va. Aug. 9.—In an effort to straighten out the tangle over the September primary to select a successor to Congressman Jas. Hay, the Democratic Executive committee of the Seventh district will meet tomorrow in Washington. When the committee met in Charlottesville several weeks ago and called a primary for September 2, it failed to state whether the primary was to select a candidate for Hay's unexpired term, for the new term beginning March 4, or for both.

Under the Virginia law there must be a 60-day notice of a primary and there is grave doubt as to the legality of the special primary for September 2. The heavy expenses attached to the primary, which fall on the candidates, have brought out protests.

Judge Harrison, the first candidate in the field, is an avowed champion of the primary. It is understood that Floyd Weaver and Senator Nat Early want a convention, State Senator H. H. Downing, of Front Royal, who has not decided whether or not to enter the race, is inclined to the convention.

In case a primary is held, it is believed that there will be some withdrawals, and that the fight will narrow down to Judge Harrison and one of the other candidates.

Alexandria Local News In Brief

There were no cases for trial in the police court this morning.

Osceola Tribe, No. 1, Improved Order of Red Men, will hold their regular meeting tonight at their hall on north Pitt street.

Seminole Tribe, No. 35, Improved Order of Red Men, will outline plans at a meeting tomorrow night for a big class initiation to take place in October.

Arrangements are being made by the Parent-Teachers' Association for a lawn fete to be given at an early date for the benefit of the children's auspices at the grounds of the Washington school.

A final decree has been granted by Judge Louis C. Barley, in the corporation court, in the case of Milie Grisby and others against Elmira Pace, confirming the report of Robinson Moncure, special bonded commissioner.

There will be a meeting of the members of the bar of the city of Alexandria tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock in the corporation court room to take action on the death of Samuel P. Fisher, which occurred today.

A class in rythymic dancing for girls has been organized at the playgrounds on south Washington street by Miss Flora Kail, sister of Miss Harriet Kail, superintendent of the grounds. Instructions is given free every Thursday afternoon.

According to recent announcement in the Gazette, the Old Dominion Glass Company expects to start a fire in one of its furnaces next week and give operations to about 125 men and boys. A full working force will be employed when the plant opens completely the first of September.

Alexandria chapter of the American Red Cross held their regular meeting this morning at ten o'clock in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. A report of the committee of military relief, having in charge forwarding of supplies to the Alexandria Light Infantry on the Mexican frontier was received, giving results of soliciting carried on recently. The local chapter of the Red Cross is increasing its membership as a result of a campaign launched by it.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Frank L. Slaymaker is visiting her parents in Riverton, Va.

Mrs. Clarence Ball, of Aldan, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. James A. Long.

Miss Henrietta Fawcett of Pitt street leaves today for a short visit with friends at Sandy Springs, Md.

Mrs. J. F. Hepburn and son are camping on the upper Potomac with Capt. and Mrs. Ernest Davis

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Cline and Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Birch have returned from a ten days' stay at Ocean View, Va.

Mrs. George Uhler, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Nellie Uhler, has returned from a trip to Virginia Beach.

William H. Leefe has returned to his home in Danville, after a stay with his grandmother, Mrs. W. B. Dobie in Wolfe street.

Miss Elizabeth Walker, of Marshall, Fauquier county, is the guest for the week of her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Grimm, in Duke street.

Mrs. Charles William Wattles in visiting her sister, Mrs. F. H. Hatchell, in Berryville, where her children are spending the summer.

Mrs. Gilbert Cox and daughters, Misses Sarah, Eliza, and Francis Cox have returned to their home in this city after a vacation of several weeks.

Miss Hilda Schneider and Miss Lucy Anderson have returned from a delightful visit to friends at Kinsale, Northumberland county, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore V. Ale of West End, and son, Burnette Ale, and son-in-aw, Charles A. Duffey, have returned from an automobile trip to Philadelphia, Baltimore, Atlantic City and Southern New Jersey.

M. J. Connelly, former general foreman of the Southern Railway shops in this city but now general foreman of the Kentucky and Indiana Terminal Company, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Crump at 815 north Columbus street.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church South will meet this evening at 7 o'clock.

Nellie Yancey, colored, died at her home, 317 south Fayette street yesterday.

Holy Name Band will give its first annual excursion to Marshall Hall, August 22, the band planning to give a concert going down on the steamer

Funeral services for the late Earl C. Simms were held at 221 north Patrick street today at 2:30 p. m., the services being conducted by the Rev. J. M. Nourse.

The M. D. D. Club of St. Mary's Catholic Academy is arranging for a large garden party to be given August 6 on the lawn of Miss Nora Baggett, in King street extended.

The summer school under the direction of C. A. Burrous, principal of the Washington School, is in progress at the Washington School, with a large daily attendance of pupils.

Plans for the evangelistic campaign were further discussed at a meeting in the First Baptist Church last night of the various committees and subcommittees connected with the affair.

In the office of Charles H. Callahan, commissioner of revenue, last night a meeting of the local board of tax review took place at which time the land books of the city were reviewed and arrangements made by the members to rapidly conclude the work before them. Beside Commissioner Callahan, Robinson Moncure, Edward E. Lawler, and Clinton Ballenger are on the board.

A meeting of the Relief Hook and Ladder Company will be held Friday night, when delegates will be elected to attend the annual convention of the Virginia Firemen's Association to be held in Harrisonburg, the latter part of this month. As Columbia and Reliance Engine companies plan to send delegations of thirty members each, including delegates and alternates, it is expected that the number who will leave in the Hook and Ladder Company's delegation will bring the total Alexandria representation at the convention up to nearly one hundred.

DEATH OF S. P. FISHER

Well-Known City Official Found Dead in Bed Shortly After Noon Today

The many friends and acquaintances of Samuel P. Fisher, Corporation Attorney, were startled shortly after noon today to learn that he had a short time before been found dead in bed at his home, 120 north Columbus street. The deceased was forty years old. He had been a sufferer from a chronic organic ailment for some time. Arrangements for the funeral have not been made.

The deceased was a son of the late Isaiah Fisher, and he had resided in Alexandria all his life. In early manhood, having been educated for the law, he was elected Corporation Attorney, succeeding Gardner L. Boothe, and was holding this position at the time of his death. He had previously been a member of the Board of Aldermen from the Third ward. He is survived by four brothers, Mayor Thomas A. Fisher, John H. Fisher, Edward H. Fisher, the latter now resident in Missouri, Captain Charles L. Fisher, of the regular U. S. army and a sister, Mrs. William A. Smith, of Charlotte, N. C.

SPECIAL MEETING OF ELKS—A special meeting of Alexandria Lodge No. 758, B. P. O. E., will be held tonight at 8 o'clock for the purpose of taking action in regard to the death of Samuel P. Fisher, a former member. By order of Exalted Ruler,
GEORGE W. BONTZ, Jr.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Col. Roosevelt cordially approved the proposed woman suffrage amendment yesterday in New York.

The Turkish ministry of finance has been empowered to accept from Germany a loan of $125,000,000.

Eight minutes before adjournment last night the senate passed the Child Labor Law by a vote of 52 to 12.

Newspapers published in Basie, Switzerland, copies of which state that the King of Bavaria has informed a deputation of Bavarians that an "honorable peace" is certain before winter.

Leila May and Ina Marion, daughters of James H. Briggs, were drowned Monday while bathing in the Westfield River, at Westfield, Mass., The young women were wading across the river when Ina stepped into a deep hole.

HOSPITAL COMMITTEE MEETS

The finance and building committees of the Alexandria Hospital met last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

Very satisfactory reports were presented, but upon examining the subscription lists it was found that a number of subscribers have not paid in their subscriptions.

As it imperative that the money subscribed be paid in at the earliest possible moment, so as to meet the obligations incurred for the erection of the hospital, all subscribers are urgently requested to redeem their pledges by sending the amounts pledged to Arthur Herbert treasurer, at the earliest possible date.

A. D. BROCKETT
Chairman Finance Committee.

PART OF THE DISTRICT

Judge Stafford Decides That Reclaimed Land Is Not Under Virginia's Jurisdiction

Judge Stafford in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia ruled today that the land recently reclaimed in what was previously known as "Baptizing Cove," in the southeastern section of Alexandria, is not a part of the state of Virginia, but of the District of Columbia. The ruling was upon a preliminary motion, and not upon the merits of the case. The suit now in the court is that of the Alexandria Marine Railway Company vs. the United States on a writ of ejectment. The plaintiffs are represented by J. K. and H. B. Caton, of this city.

The history of this case has been told recently in the Gazette. The area, embracing about forty acres, had been gradually filling up for years. Five years ago a contractor for the government while dredging the river opposite this port asked the privilege of dumping the mud into the cove. This was granted by the parties who owned the abutting property and the result was the reclamation of the cove. The government from the first claimed the ground, alleging that it was a part of the District of Columbia from the fact that the district has jurisdiction over the river to the high water mark on both shores.

The ruling referred to above does not settle the question of ownership of the land, but simply that of jurisdiction. The issue will come up upon its merits later.

GORIZIA NOW UNDER FIRE

Italians Trying to Shell Enemy From Key to Triest

2,000,000 IN BATTLES

Ten Thousand Austrians Are Taken Prisoners During the Sanguinary Onslaughts

London, Aug. 9—Before the echoes have died of the mutual congratulations of the Entente allied sovereigns, statesmen and generals on the auspicious opening of the third year of the war, comes news of further Russian successes and of a splendid victory for the Italian arms on the Isonzo front.

News of the Italian success came in an official announcement cabled from Rome yesterday. It stated that the Gorizia bridgehead had been captured by the Italians and that the city was being shelled to drive out the Austrians.

The Gorizia bridgehead was one of the most important defensive positions of the Austrians along the Isonzo front. It was the scene of heavy fighting in the early months of the war, when the Italians, after making considerable advances, were finally held up along the Isonzo line. Gorizia is 22 miles northwest of Trieste, one of the principal objectives of the Italian campaign, and regarded as the key to that position.

Gorizia is the principal city of the Isonzo Valley, with a population of about 30,000.

The surprising success of the Italians, who in two days have captured 10,000 prisoners, suggests that in addition to transferring General Koevess, an able Austrian general, from the Trentino front to Galicia the Austrians also ventured to transfer troops from the Isonzo to the Russian front in an endeavor to stem the Russian advance.

General Cadorna's victory has caused in London great rejoicing as one of the most promising successes in the new allied operations and a demonstration of the constantly growing power of the allied offensive on all fronts. Russia's new victories south of the Dniester and southwest of the Stanislau-Kolomea railway afford equal satisfaction and the prompt admission in the Berlin official statement of the retirement of the Austro-Germans south of the Dniester is taken here to indicate that the Russian victory in this quarter is weightier than yet announced by the Russian official dispatches. According to an unofficial report the evacuation of Lemberg, the Galician capital, has already been ordered.

In the meantime a new combined offensive by the Allies has begun on the western front, which is expected to lead to the severest fighting. Guillemont, around which heavy fighting is now in progress, is one of the strong positions in the German second system of defense and doubtless will be defended by the Germans, as was Pozieres, with the utmost stubbornness.

Vienna, Aug. 9—The loss of the Gorizia bridgehead to the Italian forces is admitted in the Austrian official statement issued yesterday.

A withdrawal to the eastern Isonzo, the statement says, was necessary to avoid severe losses to the defenders of the bridgehead because of the desperate attacks made by the Italians.

MAIN TO BE FLUSHED

The mains of the Alexandria Water Company will be flushed on Friday and Saturday, August 11 and 12, at 6 p. m. Consumers please supply themselves with necessary water.
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MEN DECLINE ARBITRATION

Railroad Magnates Facing Overwhelming Strike Vote

400,000 ARE BALLOTING

Employees Say They Have Found Arbitration Unsatisfactory Heretofore in Strikes

New York, Aug. 9.—Representatives of the railways, confronted with an overwhelming vote by 400,000 employes in favor of a strike, today proposed mediation by the Federal Board of Mediation and Conciliation when they met with representatives of the four employes' brotherhoods.

The reply of the railroads was delivered by Elisha G. Lee, of the Pennsylvania.

On behalf of the employes, A. B. Garretson, head of the conductors' brotherhood, declined to accept mediation, declaring the employes had found arbitration unsatisfactory in previous instances, and, furthermore, that the two sides were in position to confer directly without an intermediary.

Lee responded that regardless of the attitude taken by the employes, the representatives ofthe railways would attempt to enlist the services of the Federal mediation board.

A. B. Garretson, president of the order of Railway Conductors, today said "no sane man" would refuse mediation, but his manner indicated plainly that the employes would insist upon the original demands.

REUNION AT MANASSAS

Two Branches of Methodism Meet on Bull Run Battle Field.

Manassas, Va., Aug. 9—The Rev. Dr. John F. Goucher, of Baltimore, representing Bishop Earl Cranston, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, was a guest today at a Methodist reunion and picnic held on the Bull Run battle field. The reunion was in the nature of a welcome to Bishop Eugene R. Hendrix, senior bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, to Manassas.

Bishop Hendrix and Dr. Goucher, expressing their desire for a unification of Methodism, clasped hands over the Manassas peace tablet, erected here to commemorate the national jubilee of 1911.

Visiting ministers and other guests were taken by motor to Sudley Methodist Episcopal Church South, which stands on the edge of the two battle fields and was used repeatedly as a hospital during the war between the States. The present structure is built of wood and replaced the brick building during the war. Gen. Jackson is said to have resorted to Sudley for prayer as his troops marched by in 1862.

Addresses were made by Bishop Hendrix and Dr. Goucher, each speaker dwelling on the benefits of Methodist unity. Bishop Hendrix's speech was woven around the word "Together," which is to be placed under a bronze figure which will be unveiled at an early date.

The Rev. C. K. Millican, pastor of Sudley church, offered a warm welcome to his distinguished guests. The jubilee invocation was made by the Rev. George T. Taylor, of Fairfax Courthouse.

Dr. Goucher, accompanied by Dr. J. F. Heisse, motored from Baltimore. Bishop Hendrix is the guest of his former schoolmate, Lieut. G. Carr Round, former president of the United States Veteran Signal Corps Association. They were graduated half a century ago from Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Martin E. Greene has purchased the business of Mr. T. U. Rowley, at 107 north Washington street, where he will continue to carry on the business of cleaning and pressing of clothes and solicits the patronage of the public generally.
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RETURNS OF CANVASS

Complete Census Secured of Non-Church-Going People in Alexandria.

Returns of the recent house-to-house canvass made in order to have a complete census of Alexandria's church going population, and conducted in connection with the evangelistic campaign to be held here in September, under the auspices of the general committee of laymen having in charge the campaign, were made public today by James R. Caton, chairman of the general committee.

The list states the number of families belonging to the different churches of the city or what faith they profess, and in instances where the family was divided between different faiths, each denomination was credited with the family. Owing to the fact, however, that it could not be estimated what was the exact size of each family, no strictly accurate comparison can be made of the strength of the various denominations and religious faiths in this city.

Following are the churches and faiths and the number of families in each: First Baptist, 481; Second Baptist, 104; Christ Episcopal, 217; Grace Episcopal, 233; St. Paul's Episcopal, 254; Trinity Methodist Episcopal, 159; Methodist Protestant, 119; Methodist Episcopal South, 405; Presbyterian, 306; Roman Catholic, 413; Campbellite, 1; Christian, 2; Christian Science, 4; Congregationalist, 3; Disciples, 1; Dunkard, 1; Friend, 2; Free Methodist, 20; German Lutheran, 36; Hebrew, 33; New Jerusalem, 1; Primitive Baptist, 4; Salvation Army, 11; Seventh Day Adventists, 7. There were 685 adults who professed no faith at all, and also 160 children of this class. In each family are from two to ten individuals, in round numbers.

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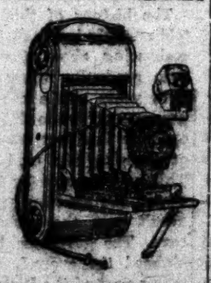

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WILL SEND DOWN CREW

Analostan Boat Club of Washington Will Participate in Regetta Saturday.

One of Washington's best known boating associations, the Analostan Boat Club, have announced to the officers of the Old Dominion Boat Club that they will send down a crack crew to sit in a "centipede" shell, which they will enter in several of the events in the regatta of the Old Dominion Boat Club, which will take place next Saturday, August 12, on the river front in front of the boat house of the Old Dominion club. A "centipede" shell is one of eight oars manned by nine men, including the coxswain.

Potomac Boat Club, of Washington, was unable to accept the invitation of the local organization to participate in the regatta, owing to a number of members of its different crews being away.

A complete program for the regatta will be announcedFriday. Included in the various events on the program are races for eight-oared, four-oared, double and single oared shells, canoe tilting and canoe balancing contests, swimming and diving exhibitions and contests, and a number of different funny stunts. The regatta is scheduled to begin promptly at four o'clock.

After the events on the river, refreshments will be served at the club house by the ladies' auxiliary, composed of honorary lady members of the club, and in the evening a big dance will take place. There will be two hundred and fifty invitations to the regatta sent out.

WILL REBUILD SILK MILL

Two-Story Brick Structure About to be Erected in This City.

It is stated that a contract has been let to E. G. Heflin, of Fredericksburg, for the building of a two-story brick structure to be used as a factory for the Klotts Silk Throwing Works, on south Pitt street The specifications call for a building of brick, two stories in height, about 50 by 100 feet in dimension. It is intended to replace the present frame building occupied by the company in this city.

The local officials of the plant state that they have no definite information as yet regarding the awarding of the contract, but have known for some time that a contract would be let at an early date. The matter, however, is handled through the New York office, headquarters for the Klotts company, and does not come through this city direct; hence officials here were not apprised of the letting of the contract when a representative of the Gazette called.

At present the manager of the local factory states there are between 50 and 60 hands employed by the company, but more hands are needed, as there is always work at the factory, for about 150 workers. The Klotts company has been operating the plant for three years, and before that time it was managed under the Bliss Silk Throwing Company for about five years.

The American Federation of Labor late yesterday made public a letter indorsing the "Big Four" railroad organizations in their determination to call a general railroad strike unless their demands are met. The letter, written by Samuel Gompers, president of the federation, said it would be desirable to avert a strike, but that the federation would give its full support to the employes in case they called a strike.

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BREAK IN TORRID WAVE

Northwest Winds Late Yesterday Caused Temporary Drop in the Mercury.

The weather during the past two weeks has been, for the most part oppressive. There have been but few intervals in the torrid conditions of the latter part of July and the first week of August. The sun's rays grew fierce last Sunday morning, and up to late yesterday oppressive conditions have prevailed. The mercury in the thermometer has kept well up in the nineties and in some places in this city has stood at and over the one hundred mark. In the shade yesterday it was as high as ninety-four.

Between five and six o'clock yesterday evening black clouds gathered in the northwestern heavens, and the wind having changed to that quarter the refreshing breeze was hailed with true thanksgiving. There was every reason to suppose the cloud would empty itself over Alexandria, but instead it gave this city and vicinity the go-by and moved towards the northeast. Most of the rain fell in Baltimore and other parts of Maryland, Pennslyvania and other places. Alexandria, however, received the cooling breezes, which were as the gales of Araby to both man and beast.

Numbers of deaths have been caused in different cities by the prevailing hot wave, while hundreds of prostrations have occurred. The heat in some places has driven persons to suicide, while some have been made insane.

There have, so far as we know, been no cases of prostration from Old Sol in this city, certainly no deaths. The temperature today has been more bearable than at any time this week, and the Weather Bureau holds out some hopes of a change to more welcome conditions in the near future.

COLLECTION OF PLEDGES

Alexandria Hospital Committees Hold Meeting Last Night

Arrangements for collection of pledges to the building fund of the Alexandria Hospital, to raise which pledges a canvass of several months was held several years ago, were made at a joint meeting last night of the committees of finance and, building, held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. A call has been made upon all citizens who pledged contribution at the time for cash now, as the committees will have use of same, now that the hospital is in course of construction.

The building committee, of which Worth Hulfish is chairman, made a report of the progress on the new hospital at last night's meeting.

BRIEF

ALEXANDRIAN PROMOTED.

The Southern Railway News Bulletin says: "G. C. Baggett, assistant chief clerk to freight traffic manager, has been promoted to commercial agent at Washington. Mr. Baggett entered the service as clerk in agent's office at Alexandria, Va., in 1901, was promoted from chief clerk to general yard foreman, Alexandria, in 1904; to chief rate clerk, agent's office Alexandria, in 1905; to southbound rate clerk, agent's office Potomac Yards, in 1906. He served in his capacity until 1912, when he was promoted to rate clerk in freight traffic manager's office, and on February 1, 1913, was made assistant chief clerk to freight traffic manager, which position he held until his recent promotion.

A boy named Curtis and another named John Smith, inmates of the Susquehanna Valley Home, at Binghamton, N. Y., ran away from the institution, where they were at work, to go swimming in the Susquehanna yesterday. When splashing in the water one of the boys shouted for help, and John Eastman, a foreman of the Binghamton Light, Heat and Power Company, swam to his assistance. Both lads became frightened, and he had nearly rescued one when the two seized him, dragging him to the bottom.

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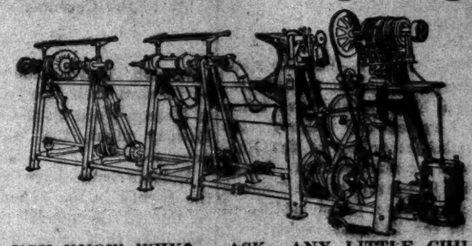

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JUVENILE OFFENDERS

Probably the most perplexing cases which come before Police Courts of the country are those in which boys are the offenders. Should fines be imposed money is taken from the bread-winner who can ill afford to pay the assessments, whilye wresting children from parents and placing them in some far- away reform school is a course which should be avoided, if possible, by those upon whom the responsibility of safe-guarding the community is committed. Under present laws in Virginia every opportunity is given juvenile offenders to reform, and upon the first offense the justice or whoever has the disposition of the cases is directed to aim at saving the little culprits instead of branding them as outlaws at the outset.

This is all very well, but some parents, who strangely imagine their offsprings are innocent of every charge urged against them, fail to realize the fact that it is their duty to vie with the authorities in the reformation of their children. It too often happens that while the authorities are endeavoring to prepare a way by which incorrigible children can be reclaimed, leave the court rooms indignant because their boys have been caught in the meshes of the law, and instead of showing them their danger, are rather inclined to modify their wounds, condemning the officers of the law in the meantime. This spirit has often been manifested in the Police Court of this city.

Senator Overman's statement on the floor of the senate Monday that North Carolina has fewer children in jail than forty-five other states of the Union is suggestive. He attributes this showing to the fact that the children of his state—who otherwise might be in jail—are kept out of temptation by putting them to work in the cotton mills. He plaintively asked, "What's to become of the children who work, if this bill passes? What about an orphan supporting his mother?" The bill was passed notwithstanding his protest.

While much has been said concerning making old men out of children the fact that the latter as soon as they reach the age of understanding should be placed in the school of responsibility should be apparent. Allowing children free rein to run the streets day and night without any idea of the duties of life ,subsisting upon the labor of overworked fathers, may be regarded by humanitarians as pleasing to high heaven, but we are not so sure that it is. In many cases youths, after passing through such a butterfly existence, are naturally averse to work, and a large percentage are failures in after life.

Biography is an interesting study. Horace Greeley worked from the time he was old enough to work and continued in the harness up to a few weeks before his death. Benjamin Franklin was another great American who worked in his early childhood, and throughout his long life. The same can be said of nearly every man who has left his name in history. They took up the responsibilities of life at early ages and when they reached manhood their characters had been formed.

Massachusetts has ever been the home of the aesthetic. The people of that state trangely suppose that everything in the way of culture radiates from that centre. But nearly every man of note who sprang from that state began work early in life and continued in the traces. Andrew Johnson, a former President of the United States, in his tender years was an apprentice, under the old indenture system, to a tailor in North Carolina. He was of humble parentage and unable to read. He had reached his majority before he had any idea of letters .The young woman he married taught him to read and he remained in the school of responsibility which he enteredin childhood, until his death. When in the embrace of the great destroyer he called to those standing near, "Wrap me up in the American flag when you prepare me for burial." He was the genuine type of American, who had fought his way through life from early bodhood. Work and a realization o fthe responsibilities of life have saved many a boy from jail and reform schools.

FEEDING MOLECH

Germany has lost 76,248 officers and 2,883,993 men in killed, wounded, and missing, according to the 570th official casualty list just issued.

Studious people, fond of investigating what has occurred on this planet since man was placed upon it, often fall into soliloquies upon realizing the fact that Solomon was right when he said there is nothing new under the sun.

Many procedures are in evidence today, under other names, which were ancient in the days of Homer. The first books of the Bible speak of a custom of the Ammonites who worshipped a divinity known as Molech, or the fire god. It was the custom of this fierce people to offer human sacrifices to their deity. The god was represented in a huge brass statue, in a sitting posture. The lower part of the figure was a furnace, and on sacrificial days this furnace was fired to a white heat. There was an opening in the abdominal part into which little children were cast. The worshippers which stood around beat drums and sent forth blasts from trumpets to drown the shrieks of the innocent victims of this most cruel of all forms of paganism. The Bible, it will be remembered, pronounces curses upon those who cause their children to pass through the fire to Molech.

There are no statues of Molech in our day, but the spirit which caused these fiends to destroy their little ones still seems to blaze, animating some of the great of the earth.

The sanguinary procedures around Verdun and at other places in the western battle front of Europe are more terrible than the furnace within the image of Molech. Thousands of men are virtually thrust into places more terrible than Dante's Inferno. And the terrible work still goes on. Molech was fed with innocent babes; Mars is now being fed with the fathers and brothers of such. This is the difference..

In the last book of the Bible a thrilling scene is described. The souls of them who shall have been slain during the great tribulation which we are told is to come upon the earth cry for vengeance. Their words are startling: "How long, O Lord, holy and true, dost thou not judge and avenge our blood on them that dwell on the earth?" The Christian dispensation will then be a thing of the past. Martyrs are not praying for their enemies, as now, but they are crying for vengeance.

History is to show who is responsible for this fearful butchery of man, made in the image of his Creator.

UNABLE TO FIND AN ISSUE

In the early part ofthe eighties, when the readjusters under the late William Mahone were dominating Virginia, Rev. John E. Massie, who was an earnest advocate of readjuster ideas of political economy, was scheduled to deliver a speech at Warrenton. Most of the prominent democratic speakers of the town were away from the place at the time and the late Ham Sheppard was pitted against the insistent political minister.

Massie was probably one of the most difficult men to answer who ever mounted the stump in Virginia. He carried with him a mass of facts and figures which generally rendered him unassailable. He had with him his usual outfit on this occasion. Like Abraham Lincoln, Massie relied in the main upon turning the laugh upon his opponets, and in his answer to Sheppard he repeated an old story which had the effect he desired. He told his audience that a man (alluding to Sheppard) had been placed in the pit to attempt to controvert his assertions which placed him (Massie) in the position of the cooper who was asked to make a barrel from a bung hole. His opponent, he contended, had said nothing worth answering. The laugh was upon Sheppard, and, as suggested by the late "Sunset" Cox, a man in such a condition merely wastes his time in efforts to explain.

Charles E. Hughes, who is posing as the republican candidate for President suggests the old story of the cooper and the bung hole. He is still without an issue, and republican papers are making vain attempts to blow into a flame some of his key-cannon utterances while upon the stump. He is laboring heavily while on his tour, but that he has said nothing worth repeating must be apparent to both friend and foe.

EUROPE'S MOUNTING WAR DEBT

Much is being said and written these days, in a general way, of how war debts are piling up in the belligerent countries of Europe, but it is very doubtful if the average person has any very definite idea of the proportions to which the burdens have grown. The New York World has collected and published figures on the subject which are certainly interesting and will no doubt prove more or less illuminating to the majority of those who read them.

At the outbreak of hostilities in 1914 Great Britain, France, Italy, Germany, Austria-Hungary and Russia, with a combined population of 408, 500,000, had an aggregate debt of $26,190,000,000 or $64 per capita. During the two years of conflict these six nations have contracted debts, for war purposes exclusively, which aggregate approximately $43,000,000,000. This means that the indebtedness of the six, taken as a whole, has increased nearly two hundred per cent, and now stands at about $167 per capita, the figures being, of course, exclusive of local public debts.

Taking the countries as separate entities, it is shown that Germany, which entered the conflict with a per capita debt of $75, has already created a purely war debt of $200 per capita on the basis of the ante-bellum population. France, with a per capita debt of $160 before the outbreak of hostilities, has added a per capita war debt of nearly $180. Great Britain, which started the war with a per capita debt of $80, has piled up a war debt of nearly $300 per capita, though a part of the latter has been incurred as the result of financial assistance rendered her allies.

And the end is not yet. As the war goes on, these already unprecedented mountains of debt will continue to mount higher and higher. The day of reckoning will certainly come with the restoration of peace, if not sooner for some of them, and certainly the nations that have escaped the debts as well as the ravages of the pending war have nothing to fear from commercial competition carried on under conditions such as will confront the European countries.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Leaping fifteen stories from an office building, in St. Louis, George M. Smith, secretary of the Yellow Pine Manufacturers' Association, was instantly killed yesterday. He is believed to have been crazed by the long continued spell of hot weather.

Michael Sabrines, weary of the world because it withheld from him the things he wanted, ended his life, yesterday by gas in New York. He yearned to marry, but he earned, as a printer, only $12 a week; he saw no likelihood of getting more, and would not marry unless he could support his wife in comfort.

James Gerrigan, one-time racing partner of John Dehymel, was killed just outside of San Antonio, Texas, while speeding his automobile at a terrific rate up a hill to have his picture taken in action. A friend, with his camera set, waited over the brow of the hill while Gerrigan raced up the other side. Time passed and Gerrigan did not appear. He was found dead pinned under his overturned car.

Her mind unbalanced by the suffocating heat, Ida Starr, barricaded herself in the home of John Schuntz, in Pittsburgh, Pa., where she is a servant, and began to pick off passers-by with a revolver, firing from behind the slits in the shutters. For half an hour she held the police at bay, although they returned her fire. Finally, Patrolman Fotmeyer entered the house from the rear, and after a battle in the dim light of the closed house, wounded the insane woman in the head. She died soon after being taken to the hospital.

Representative J. Charles Linthicum, of Baltimore, appeared yesterday before the House Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds and advocated the Daughters of the American Revolution plan for the purchase of Monticello, the historic home of Thomas Jefferson, near Charlottesville. The proposal made by the Daughters of the American Revolution to several members of Congress is that the society will take care of the historic estate as a patriotic museum if the Government buys it from former Congressman Jefferson Levy, of New York, for $500,000.

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FOR RENT—525 N. Alfred street, 6 rooms and sewer connection, $9.-75; 818 N. Columbus street, 6 rooms. Apply 603 Queen Street.

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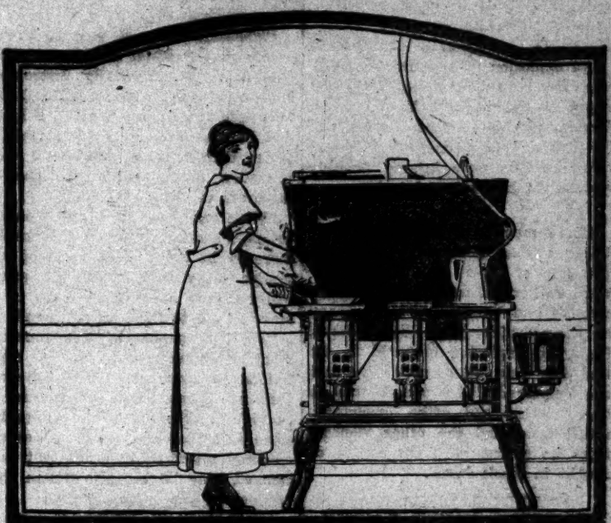

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Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:37 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington and Danville, delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C and O., No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M. Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop. Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeping car Salisburg to Ashville. Coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, Greensboro, and Charlotte.

4:22 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Anniston, Birmingham, and Augusta. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car service. Tourist to California daily.

4:02 P. M.—Local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:22 P. M. Local for Warrenton.

7:17 P. M. Daily—Augusta Special Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Ashville.

10:02 P. M. Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 A. M. Daily—Memphis special, Sleeping cars and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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Schedule in effect May 28, 1916

For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 8:23, 8:33 a.m 12:01, 12:16 12:23, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:16, 8:53, 11:33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 9:47, a. m. 12:16, 3:22, 3:32, 5:17 (local) 6:57, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accomodation for Fredericksburg at 2:23, p. m. Saturdays and 11.18 a. m. other days of week.

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40; 4 00; 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00; 6 40; 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00; 8 30; 9 00; 9 30; 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.
Sundays and Holidays, same as above except trains at 6 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10; 7 30; 7 50 and 8 10 A. M. and 11 55 P. M.
Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon—
A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 55, 7 55, 10 30, 11 30;—P. M.—12 30, 1 20, 3 30; 3 30; 4 30; 5 35; 6 40 7 35, 8 55, 9 20; 11 50.
Sundays as above except 6 35 and 7 A. M. and 1:50 P. M.

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MAJOR LEAGUE BALL.

American League

Washington Nationals are now two and a half full games behind the St. Louis Brownies as a result of their dropping the doubleheader to the fast flying Brownies yesterday. Boston Red Sox came within half a game of the Chicago White Sox again by defeating the latter, and the Indians put the Yanks further behind by a win over them, Detroit Tigers climbing to within two points of Bill Donovan's clan; in fact, the Tigers are even with the Yanks now in the matter of games won and lost, the percentage only showing the slight difference.

Athletics lost their nineteenth consecutive game yesterday when they were beaten by the Tigers and look as if they will today equal the modern record set by the Red Sox for 20 straight defeats.

Yesterday's scores:
St. Louis, 2 Washington, 0.
St. Louis 9; Washington, 1.
Cleveland, 9; New York, 4.
Detroit, 9; Athletics, 0.
Boston, 6; Chicago, 4.

Schedules for today:
Washington at St. Louis.
Athletics at Detroit.
New York at Cleveland.
Boston at Chicago.

Standing of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	61	45	.575
Boston	59	44	.573
Cleveland	58	45	.563
New York	55	48	.534
Detroit	57	50	.532
St. Louis	55	51	.519
Washington	51	52	.495
Athletics	19	80	.192

National League.

Scores of yesterday follow:
Phillies, 5; Cincinnati, 1.
Other games postponed on account of rain.

Today's schedules:
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at New York.
Chicago at Brooklyn.
Pittsburgh at Boston.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	59	35	.628
Boston	55	38	.591
Phillies	55	40	.579
New York	49	45	.521
Chicago	46	54	.460
St. Louis	45	58	.437
Pittsburgh	41	53	.436
Cincinnati	39	66	.371

VIRGINIA NEWS

That the defalcations of James P. Adams, of Charlottesville, will amount to more than $4,500 was learned yesterday in Baltimore, when O. M. Wood, a detective, arrived there for his prisoner. Adams, who was assistant cashier of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, was arrested Monday and $2,173 was found in his possession.

Preparedness is the watchword of persons who are opposed to prohibition in Virginia, which will become a law November 1st. Dealers in liquor are already advising their patrons to get ready for the time when they will find the saloons closed and the sale of liquors stopped in Virginia. There are hundreds who have already begun to lay by their supplies so that they will not be cut off. One man living not far from Richmond has bought and buried about 100 gallons of liquor. He has planted it in the flowers in the yard of his home.

Commuters on the Washington and Old Dominion railway ceased to receive transfers at Thirty-sixth and M streets, Georgetown at midnight last night. The new tariff of the Washington and Old Dominion, which is being opposed by the commuters along the line, becomes effective at that hour. This new tariff does not recognize any transfer arrangement with the Capital Traction Company. Heretofore transfers have been issued at Thirty-sixth and M streets and these have been good upon the lines of the two systems with the District of Columbia.

Governor Stuart has received from the jury of awards of the Panama-Pacific exposition a diploma and gold medal won by the commonwealth of Virginia at San Francisco. The award was made to the Virginia building, a duplicate of Mount Vernon, the home of Washington, in the architectural department.

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An explosion of ammunition which was about to be shipped from the depot at Koenigsberg, East Prussia, Monday morning caused the death of 30 men and 20 women. Fourteen other persons were injured severely and 58 received minor injuries.

Three men were killed and three badly burned yesterday in an explosion of gas at the Woodward Colliery of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Coal Company at Edwardsville, near Wilkes-Barre, Pa. The explosion occurred in the Red Ash Vein where about 200 men are employed. The pocket was in the extreme end ofthe operation, which prevented the other workers from being cut off from escape or caught in black damp.

SURVEYING PAPER MARKET.

Special Agent R. S. Barrett Explains Inquiry Into New Outlet.

(Boston Christian Science Monitor).

A survey of the paper and printing machinery market of South America is to be made soon by the United States government, with Robert S. Barrett, special agent of the United States bureau of foreign and domestic commerce and former president and editor of the Alexandria Gazette, of Alexandria, Virginia, and owner and publisher of the Mexico City Dialy Record, Mexico City, detailed to make a report on the needs of all South American countries in this field.

Mr. Barrett, who is now in New England for conferences with paper manufacturers, will spend a year and a half on the investigation. In an interview with a reporter from The Christian Science Monitor yesterday he said that while United States manufacturers are certainly not able to take care of orders from other countries at the present time, in a year and a half there is a strong possibility that they will be glad to receive orders from outside markets. It is with the idea of finding these future markets that the government has taken steps at this time.

"The government," said Mr. Barrett, "is looking forward to a period when the present abnormal conditions of the United States paper market will subside and the country will be in a position not only to take care of its own demand but to enter the markets of the world. This work is entirely for the future. Under present conditions it is impossible to supply the outside market.

"The present conditions in this country, result first from the very large demestic demand caused by increased circulation of newspapers due to the demand for international news; second the need of the United States to supply the world with paper, owing to cutting off of the European manufacturers; third, to the scarcity of raw material, due principally to the stoppage of imports of wood pulp from Scandinavia and from Canada, and the entire cutting off of the rag supply from Europe.

"However, we are gradually meeting these conditions by working every mill in the country to its fullest capacity, and when the European war is over and Europe is able to take care of its own paper needs, and we are able to secure an abundant supply of raw material, we will be in a position to do a large export business, especially with South American countries. It is for the purpose of laying before the American manufacturer the exact requirements of those countries that the survey is being undertaken.

"Massachusetts, of course, as a center of the paper industry of the United States, is vitally interested and I have found the most cordial cooperation from manufacturers I have met here so far. It is my intention to lengthen my visit here that I may interview all the principal manufacturers of the state.

"With reference to present paper prices, I should say that a reasonable increase in the former price of all grades is justified and this high price will continue as long as there is a scarcity due to the heavy demand.

"The newspapers of this country must be prepared to meet these conditions by reducing the volume of their newsprint. The circulation must be reduced; the number of pages in some instances cut down and every economy practiced in order that the demand may be brought within the confines of the supply."

Asked about the reports of a combination in the paper trade which, it has been alleged, is keeping the price of paper up, Mr. Barrett said that he knew nothing of this and that it was entirely beyond the scope of his investigation.

"However," he said, "in the main I think the large manufacturers are dealing fairly with the consumer and the very high prices which have been charged in some instances are due to the unscrupulous manufacturer who is taking advantage of the situation. This is the exception, however, and not the rule. At a recent meeting of the Virginia Press Association; of which I am president, one publisher reported that he had made a contract with a manufacturer in the last few days for $2.60 per 100 pounds and that same manufacturer, I ascertained in New York recently, had refused $3.75 per 100 pounds for the same quality of paper for export.

"I believe this paper investigation to be a big thing. The outlook is that we will need a market for paper, and South America is our natural market. As business relations between South America and the United States improve, all lines of manufactures will be stimulated, and as there is practically no paper manufacturing material in South America, these countries must entirely depend on an outside source of supply. The United States will be prepared to enter this market and take care of it."

Commonwealth of Virginia, In the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria on the 7th day of August, 1916.

Emma Virginia Studds Flynn, Complainant,
vs. IN CHANCERY
Daniel J. Flynn, Defendant.

An affidavit having been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the Sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made in writing to the Clerk of this Court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment, upon the passage of the full statutory period of three years and an order of publication having been duly granted it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment, upon the passage of the full statutory period of three years and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the clerk of this Court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to-wit: Jefferson Street, Wilmington, Delaware, as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the Clerk of this Court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this Court on or before the next rule day of this Court.

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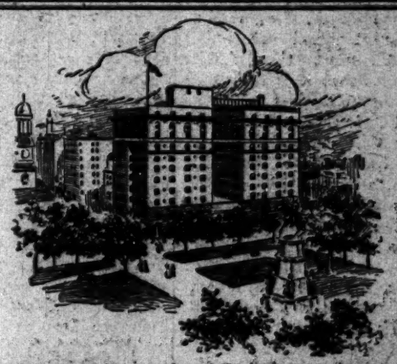

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